BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

The Office of Ratepayer Advocates,

Complainant,

VS.

Case 00-11-018

Pacific Bell Telephone Company (U 1001 C),

Defendant.

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING CONCERNING TAKING OFFICIAL NOTICE OF PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY'S ARMIS USOA REPORT

I propose to take official notice of FCC Report 43-02, the ARMIS USOA Report (Automated Reporting Management Information System/Uniform System of Accounts), which Pacific Bell Telephone Company (Pacific) files at the FCC. I intend to use this document to show Pacific's total operating revenues for year-end 2000. The document will be used in determining the appropriate fine level.

Anyone who wants to be heard on whether the Commission should take official notice of this document for the purpose of setting the appropriate penalty level for Pacific shall file comments within 5 working days of the issuance of this ruling. Comments shall be served electronically upon the assigned Administrative Law Judge at kaj@cpuc.ca.gov.

IT IS SO RULED.

Dated November 30, 2001, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ KAREN JONES

Karen Jones
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Concerning Taking Official Notice of Pacific Bell Telephone Company's ARMIS USOA Report on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated November 30, 2001, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ERLINDA PULMANO
Erlinda A. Pulmano

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